

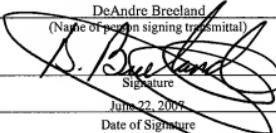
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Tetsujiro Kondo, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/673,532  
For : IMAGE SIGNAL PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD  
FOR PERFORMING AN ADAPTATION PROCESS ON AN  
IMAGE SIGNAL (AS AMENDED)  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on March 22, 2007, having a  
three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 22, 2007, please  
consider the following remarks.

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 22 of this paper.